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**Bluffton-Richland
High School
Bluffton, Ohio**

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**Ruth Steiner, Editor
Robert West, Business Manager**

Dedication

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**To those who have made this
school one where four-square
life is stressed. ▶▶▶▶▶**

Executive Department

Classes

Activities

Athletics

Advertisements



*Enter To Learn
Go Forth To Serve*

*Within the walls of Bluffton, you will find
For youth instruction of every kind.*

Board Of Education

Members

NAME	TERM EXPIRES	OFFICE
B. D. Smucker	1938	
W. M. Niswander	1938	Vice President
Peter Gratz	1940	President
A. D. Hall	1937	Clerk
R. A. Patterson	1940	
S. S. Huber	1938	



1. A governing body for our school system.
2. An organized group with individual responsibility.
3. A purchasing agency for school supplies.
4. Representative of electorate of township.
5. A group of men ever criticized, never praised.



Bluffton-Richland High School, modern and well-equipped, built in 1934,
and dedicated to the youth of the community.

The Engineer

A RECORD . . .

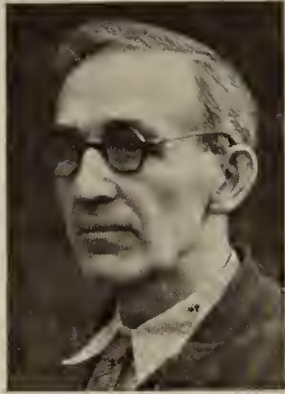
Mr. Badertscher has served eighteen years of noteworthy service to thousands of students who join with us in this tribute to one, who with his associates, has performed nobly a task for this, our school.



PETER BADERTSCHER

The Caretakers

Albert Benroth



ALBERT BENROTH



CHARLES FENTON

What "Care" Means

1. Keep lawn beautiful.
2. Maintain the outside appearance of building.
3. Provide heat and ventilation for three hundred students.
4. Clean floors and stairways.
5. Prevent spread of disease through infection.
6. Sterilize and fumigate all sanitary appliances.
7. Maintain proper lighting.
8. Be courteous to all using the building.
9. Assure all of comfort and security.
10. Be on duty until everyone leaves the building.





ALVIN J. B. LONGSDORF

Our Superintendent And His Duties

1. Exercise general administration and supervision over the schools.
2. Carries out the policies of the Board of Education.
3. Proposes and initiates educational policies.
4. Strives to influence and guide educational sentiment of the community.
5. Provides professional educational leadership.



BETTY STEWART
Betty Stewart
Secretary

GERHARD G. BUHLER

Our Principal And His Duties

1. Administrative.
2. Supervisory.
3. Teaching Science.



Gerhard Buhler

Interesting Departments Of Our School



Purpose Of Art

1. Gives the sense of appreciation of life.
2. Promotes a knowledge for better home decoration.
3. Broadens the students view on art.
4. Goes hand in hand with many other subjects in the curriculum.
5. Develops the ability for a better selection of things in harmony used in every day life.

MRS. LANTZ

A. B. BLUFFTON COLLEGE

Art



OCIE ANDERSON

B. S. IN ED. WAYNESBURG

B. S. IN LIB. SC. WESTERN RESERVE

Librarian

Community Library Provides

1. Recreational or pleasure reading.
2. Informational reading.
3. Inspirational reading.
4. Supplementary reading for school curriculum studies.





Class Of 1936



GERALD TRIPPLEHORN, *President*

DELBERT LUGINBUHL, *Vice President*

RUTH OYER, *Secretary*

ROBERT WEST, *Treasurer*

Activities

1932-33
Junior-Freshman Reception
Music

1933-34
Class Parties
Club Participation

1934-35
Treasure Chest
Junior-Senior Banquet

1935-36
Tom Sawyer and
Huckleberry Finn
Athletics



JONES
BADERTSCHER

WINGATE
CRIBLEZ

FERGUSON
BASINGER

DEVIER

BISH
SCOLES

BELL
COOKSON

"Kitchenkook"
MARGARET JONES
Girls Glee

"Efficiency"
PAUL WINGATE
Hi-Y

"3-in-one"
CHRISTINA FERGUSON
Library

"Sharpe"
GENE BISH
Football

"Pontiac"
VIRGINIA BELL
Girls Glee

"Crop-solid"
HAROLD BADERTSCHER
F. F. A.

"Bon Ami"
RACHEL CRIBLEZ
G. R.

"Dutch-Boy"
EUGENE BASINGER
F. F. A.

"Flit"
GLADYS DEVIER
Library

"Vaseline"
DALE SCOLES
Caravan

"Grandview"
CAROL COOKSON
G. R.



EVERSOLE WELTY SWANK BASINGER HIESTAND
WARREN REICHENBACH KING MATTER SCHULTZ KLAY

"Air-flow"
WANDA EVERSOLE
Commercial

"Bissell"
WILMA WELTY
G. R.

"Swank"
JOE SWANK
Band

"Rock Of Ages"
JAMES BASINGER
Aviation

"Silentite"
LAURA HIESTAND
G. R.

Racine Warren

"Moto-Boy"
RACINE WARREN
Athletics

"Magic-Chef"
PAULINE REICHENBACH
F. H. A.

"Rife Ram"
WOODROW KING
Dramatics

"Unseen"
DOROTHY MATTER
F. H. A.

"Cyclone"
KARL SCHULTZ
Hi-Y

"V-8"
MARY JANE KLAY
G. R.

Mary Jane



BASINGER	BADERTSCHER	OYER	AMSTUTZ	WILKINS
BIRCHNAUGH	BALMER	STEINER	HANKISH	BIXEL
				AMSTUTZ

"Nobs"
LOIS BASINGER
Patrol

"Farmall"
LAVERNE BADERTSCHER
F. F. A.

"Planet"
RUTH OYER
Girls Glee

"Witte"
HOWARD AMSTUTZ
Speech

"Snap-wit"
GLADA WILKINS
F. H. A.

"Yeast-foam"
JOE BIRCHNAUGH
Baseball

"Seismotite"
HARRIET BALMER
Cutlass

"Melotte"
RUTH STEINER
Buccaneer

"Sanforized"
THEDA HANKISH
G. R.

"Snowy"
DORTHY BIXEL
G. R.

"Aladdin"
LANDOLENE AMSTUTZ
Speech



KOONTZ	TRIPPLEHORN	LUGIBIHL	WEST	WELTY
LUGINBUHL	HARTMAN	SPANGLER	MILLER	LORA
				KIEFER

"Vigoro"
CLEAH KOONTZ
G. R.

"Startena"
GERALD TRIPPLEHORN
Hi-Y

"Aunt Jemima"
JEMIMA LUGIBIHL
Girls Glee

"National Clothier"
ROBERT WEST
Athletics

"Decorate"
NAOMI WELTY
G. R.

"Alfalfa"
DELBERT LUGINBUHL
Patrol

"Zip-in"
SYLVIA HARTMAN
G. R.

"Veedol"
RAYMOND SPANGLER
Hi-Y

"Geared-To-Road"
RUTH MILLER
G. R.

"Mum"
DALE LORA
F. F. A.

"Musette"
PEARL KEIFER
G. R.



GRATZ HILTY HOLDEN SOMMERS KLAY SCHAEUBLIN OYER
 STETTNER WELTY MATTER

"Lift"
 IMA JEAN HILTY
 G. R.

"Turret-Top"
 DONAVIN SOMMERS
 Football

"Expectancy"
 FRIEDA JEAN KLAY
 Music

"Pre-proved"
 RUSSELL SCHAEUBLIN
 Hi-Y

"Rit"
 ETHELYN OYER
 Music

Ethelyn

"Just O. K."
 DONAVIN GRATZ
 Athletics

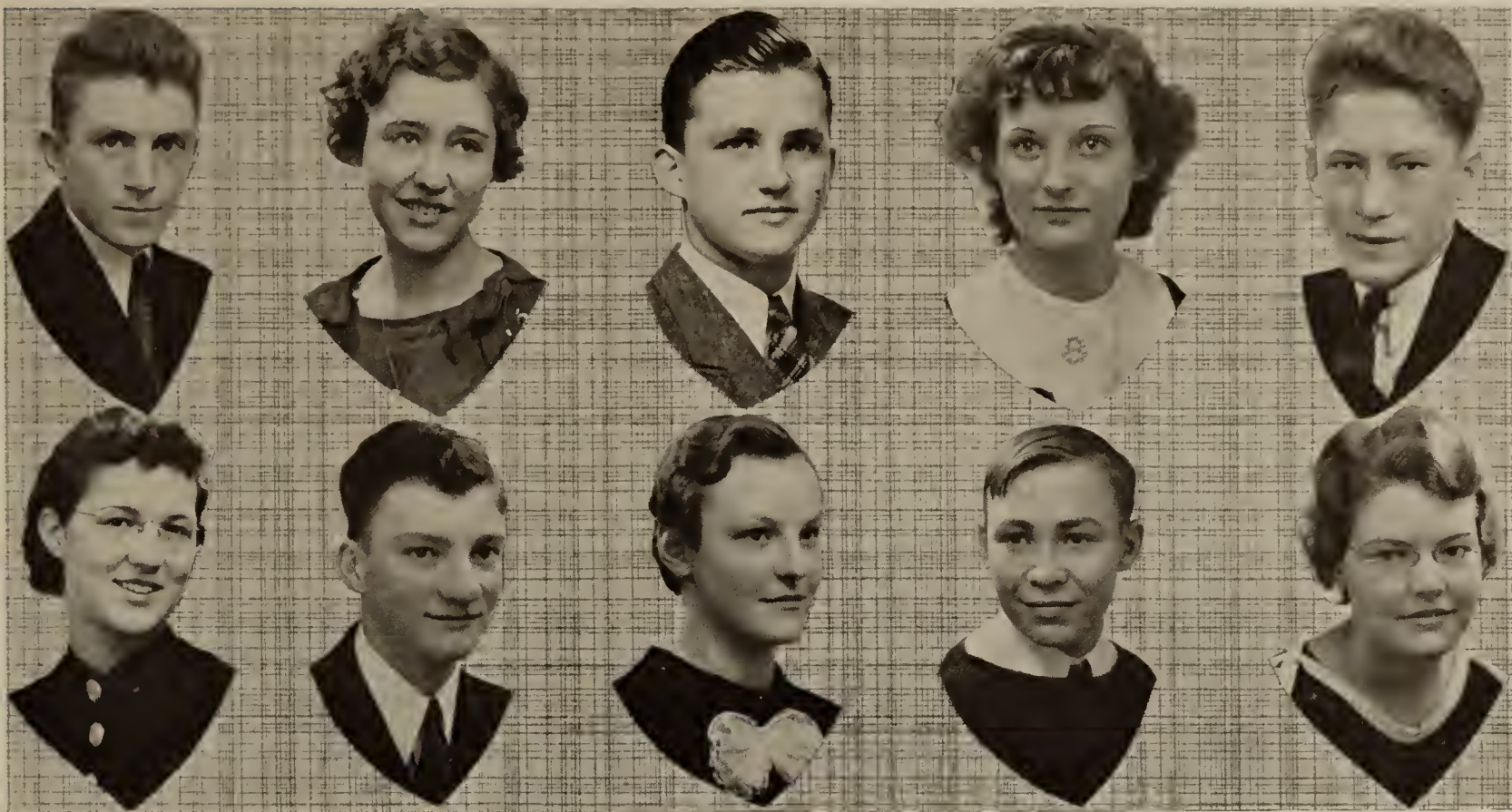
"Thrills"
 MARYBELLE HOLDEN
 Girls Glee

"Brass"
 HIRAM BUCHER
 F. F. A.

"Dry-brite"
 HARRIET STETTNER
 Girls Glee

"Timothy"
 KENT WELTY
 Speech

"Twist"
 BERNICE MATTER
 G. R.



CRAWFORD
NISWANDER

HUBER
HERR

DILLER
HOFFER

MUMMA
KRISCHBAUM

RUGGLEY
EWING

"Absorbing"
RICHARD CRAWFORD
Carpenter Crew

"Sealed"
ESTHER HUBER
F. H. A.

"Master Bred"
MILBURN DILLER
Hi-Y

"Streamline"
BETTY MUMMA

"Hercules"
DONALD RUGGLEY
Hi-Y

"Holdem"
MARCELLA NISWANDER
G. R.

"Mule-Hide"
WILLIAM HERR
Boys' Glee

"Perfection"
CLEORA HOFFER
F. H. A.

"Dodge"
CARL KRISCHBAUM
Baseball

"Forehans"
MARIE EWING
G. R.



Class Of 1937

Second Fiddle



C A S T

Minnie Carson	-	-	-	-	Wava Worthington
Marion Baker	-	-	-	-	Gertrude Ewing
Joan Keeler	-	-	-	-	Ruth Geiser
Wilbur	-	-	-	-	Dale Reichenbach
Janet Williams	-	-	-	-	Betty Amstutz
Harold Werple	-	-	-	-	Paul Kliewer
Dorothy Van Straaten	-	-	-	-	Mary Irwin
Mrs. Keeler	-	-	-	-	Luella Luginbuhl
Mr. Crouch	-	-	-	-	Charles Schumacher

Advisors



WILHELM A. AMSTUTZ
A. B. LIMA COLLEGE
Arithmetic



J. NORMAN KING
A. B. ALMA COLLEGE, B. D. PRINCETON,
A. M. BLUFFTON COLLEGE
History

Junior Class Officers

1933-34

President.....Wava Worthington
 Vice President.....James Griffith
 Sec'y.-Treas.....Evan Amstutz

1934-35

President.....Gertrude Ewing
 Vice President.....Herbert Kindle
 Sec'y.-Treas.....Luella Luginbuhl

1935-36

President.....Paul Klierer
 Vice President.....Eddyth Badertscher
 Sec'y.-Treas.....Morris Triplett

First Row: Beulah Huber, Dale Reichenbach, Helen Burkholder, Charles Schumacher, Mary Zuercher, Elmer Fett, Melvina Amstutz, Harley Luginbuhl, Treva Basinger.

Second Row: John Luginbuhl, Ruth Geiser, Alan Neuenschwander, Marjorie Corson, Homer Steiner, Vivian Patterson, Evan Amstutz, Marie Weinhold, Robert Murray.

Third Row: Melvin Long, Wava Worthington, Mary Crawford, Marion Fisher, LaDonna Haas, Brice Henry, Gertrude Ewing, David Weaver, Herbert Kindle.



Activities For 1936

JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET

1. Springtime
2. Gayety
3. Entertaining
4. Attractive
5. Travel

JUNIOR PLAY

1. Farce
2. Good Acting
3. Beautiful Stage
4. Full House
5. Good Finance

First Row: Marvin Hilty, Phoebe Wilkins, Winston Jennings, Margaret Peterson, Newlin Habegger, Eddyth Badertscher, Carl Steiner, Mary E. Amstutz, Gaylord Jordan.

Second Row: Josephine Klay, Philip Piper, Mary Irwin, Morris Triplett, Naomi Shrider, Dale Moore, Elsie Hartman, John Stonehill, Virginia Basinger.

Third Row: Waide Augsburg, Paul Kliewer, Luella Luginbuhl, James Burkholder, Eloise Lora, Gideon Steiner, Edith Moser, Margaret Geiger, Donald Luginbuhl.





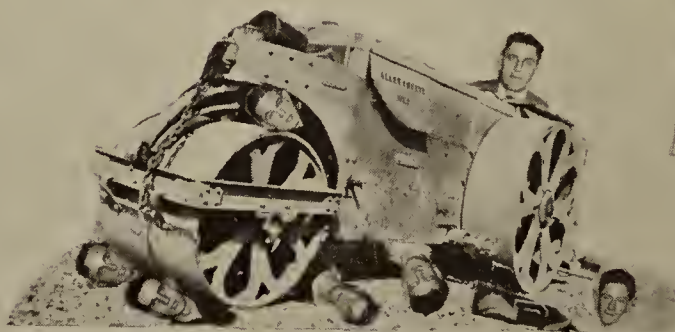
It Pours



COME TO THE
FARMERS
INSTITUTE



SALE





Sophomores



W. A. Howe

WILBUR A. HOWE

A. B. BLUFFTON COLLEGE

M. A. OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

English

Freshmen

FLORENCE R. DUFFIELD

B. S. BOWLING GREEN UNIVERSITY

Commercial



Class Of 1938

1934-35

President.....George Swank
 Vice President.....Ropp Triplett
 Secretary.....Betty Triplett
 Treasurer.....Nelson Hauenstein

1935-36

President.....Ethel J. Marshall
 Vice President.....Delbert Gratz
 Sec'y.-Treas.....June Burkholder

ACTIVITIES

Class Parties

Music

G. R. and Jr. Hi-Y

Fifth Row: M. McGinnis, J. Pence, A. Pifer, L. Steiner, F. Cooney, M. Neuenschwander, R. Barnes, J. Niswander, M. Berkey, E. Marshall, M. Steiner, M. Marshall, E. Balmer, E. Soash, R. Schumacher.

Fourth Row: M. Gratz, M. Best, T. Anderson, J. Weiss, M. Lauby, A. Jones, T. Griffith, M. Augsburger, B. Triplett, R. Biery, R. Schaeublin, W. Steiner.

Third Row: R. Beagle, G. Blakesly, W. Bronson, M. Burkholder, E. Niswander, D. Hall, V. Balmer, D. Amstutz, G. Coon, D. Lugibihl, E. Sommers, C. Habegger, N. Holden, B. Smucker.

Second Row: N. Baumgartner, R. Dillman, E. Lugibihl, D. Gratz, B. Basinger, F. Reichenbach, E. Neuenschwander, M. Moser, E. Keifer, G. Swank, R. Greding.

First Row: D. Good, N. Hauenstein, J. Gratz, D. Tripplehorn, H. Balmer, J. Holmes, H. Augsburger, R. Criblez, H. Steiner, R. Triplett, O. Herr, E. Hiestand, C. Wilson.



Class Of 1939

CLASS OFFICERS

President.....Richard Wenger
Vice President.....Robert Luginbuhl
Secretary and Treasurer.....James Moser

ACTIVITIES

Class Parties

Tri-Y and Jr. Hi-Y

Music

Sixth Row: R. Weaver, H. Oyer, W. King, B. Clark, B. Holtkamp, R. Mumma, Q. Diefendiefer,
K Schaeublin, E. Amstutz, E. Basinger.

Fifth Row: L. Newlin, S. Tripplehorn, W. Mumma, M. Burkholder, M. Niswander, K. Gable, W.
Stager, H. Lugibihl, R. Luginbuhl, D. Knepper, D. Luginbuhl.

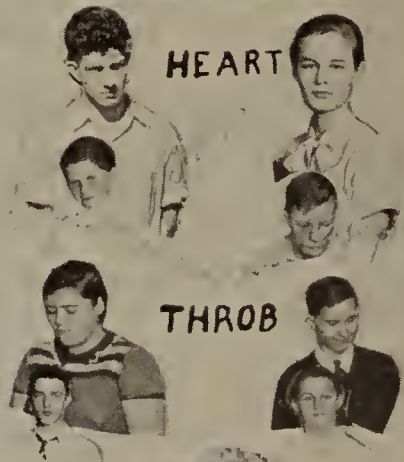
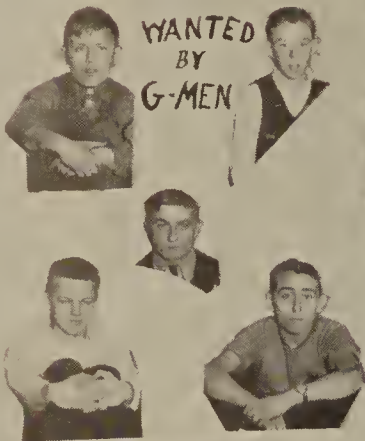
Fourth Row: M. Lape, L. Schultz, B. Lewis, W. Nonnamaker, L. Neuenschwander, M Luginbuhl,
R. Steiner, M. Oyer, B. Patterson, B. Gratz, A. McGinnis.

Third Row: J. Lloyd, W. Lehman, B .Clark, Z. Gettles, G. Klinger, L. Augsburgur, C. Burkholder,
R. Moser, M. Lora, E. Luginbuhl, B. Coon, D. Klinger.

Second Row: I. Agen, J. Clark, J. Moser, W. Badertscher, W. Huber, L. Huber, R. Matter, R. Scoles,
V. Pence.

First Row: J. Tripplehorn, Jr. Augsburgur, L. Vermillion, R. Wenger, J. Kimmel, J. Holden,
B. Root, B. Huber.







PETER

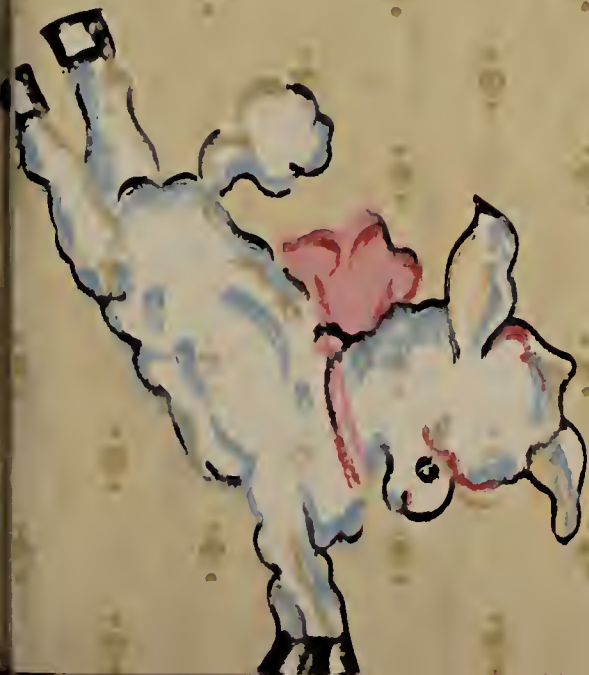
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Eighth Grade

ELEANOR LEITER

B. S. IN ED. MIAMI UNIVERSITY

Girls' Physical Education



Eleanor Leiter

Seventh Grade



EDDYTH CUPP

B. S. OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

MERRILL-PALMER SCHOOL, DETROIT

Home Economics

Eddyth Cupp

Class Of 1940

CLASS OFFICERS

President.....Josephine Augsburger
 Vice President.....Dorothy Tripplehorn
 Secretary-Treasurer.....Louise Durk

ACTIVITIES

Class Parties

Music

Tri-Y

Fifth Row: P. Greding, D. Lehman, D. Reichenbach, W. Amstutz, A. Reichenbach, G. Burkholder, G. Todd, H. Klassen, P. Moser.
 Fourth Row: A. Kohler, E. Griffith, K. Niswander, G. Fett, D. Tripplehorn, J. Stonehill H. Cooney, A. Dunbar, M. Basinger, J. Baumgartner, M A. Amstutz.
 Third Row: M. Bame, M. Stratton, M. Zuercher, L. Durk, A. Sumney, B. Weinhold, J. Patterson, M. Luginbuhl, L. Dunifon, J. Ream.
 Second Row: J. Augsburger, M. Howe, E. Berkey, P. Steiner, M. Sommers, R. Krouse, D. Garmatter, M. Jones, J. Young, M. Garmatter, M. Burkholder.
 First Row: F. Fritchie, D. Dunbar, H. Shrider, E. Kohli, R. Short, M. Burkholder, H. Gratz, W. Luginbuhl, R. Zuercher.



Class Of 1941

CLASS OFFICERS

President.....Harriet Blome
Vice President.....Gerald Augsburger
Secretary-Treasurer.....Harold Augsburger

ACTIVITIES

Class Parties

Music

Tri-Y

Fifth Row: D. Greding, B. Steinman, W. Diller, D. Clark, C. Fisher, H. Reichenbach, B. Newlin,
J. Martin, H. Swank, W. McCafferty.

Fourth Row: D. Geiger, H. Blome, D. Garmotter, G. Hankish, E. Deppler, C. Stonehill, B. Bracy,
M. Hofer, M. Isham, V. Moser, G. Miller.

Third Row: Jr. Siefield, J. Stettler, A. Beisheim, C. Burkholder, F. Marquart, W. Burkholder, H.
Santschi, H. Turner, T. Harris.

Second Row: L. Schaeublin, M. Stratton, F. Vandemark, M. Huber, G. Augsburger, H. Augsburger,
D. Buckland, G. Fisher, D. Burkholder, F. Bronson, C. Santschi.

First Row: B. Hirschfeld, G. Grismore, C. Lora, M. Luginbuhl, R. Watkins, M. Fett.



Bluffton-Richland Grade School



Meredith Stepleton, First Grade
 Levada Balmer, Second and Third Grade
 Sevila Bixel, Third and Fourth Grade
 Adella Steiner Oyer, Fifth Grade
 Theola Steiner, Sixth Grade
 Mrs. Grace Cox, First Grade
 Marjorie Luginbuhl, Sixth Grade
 Ruth Marquart, Second Grade
 Superintendent Longsdorf
 Minerva Hilty, Fourth Grade
 Ruth Yoder, Religious Education

Buses

Drivers: Gratz - Messinger - Herr - Burkholder - Basinger - Bixel



Student Senate



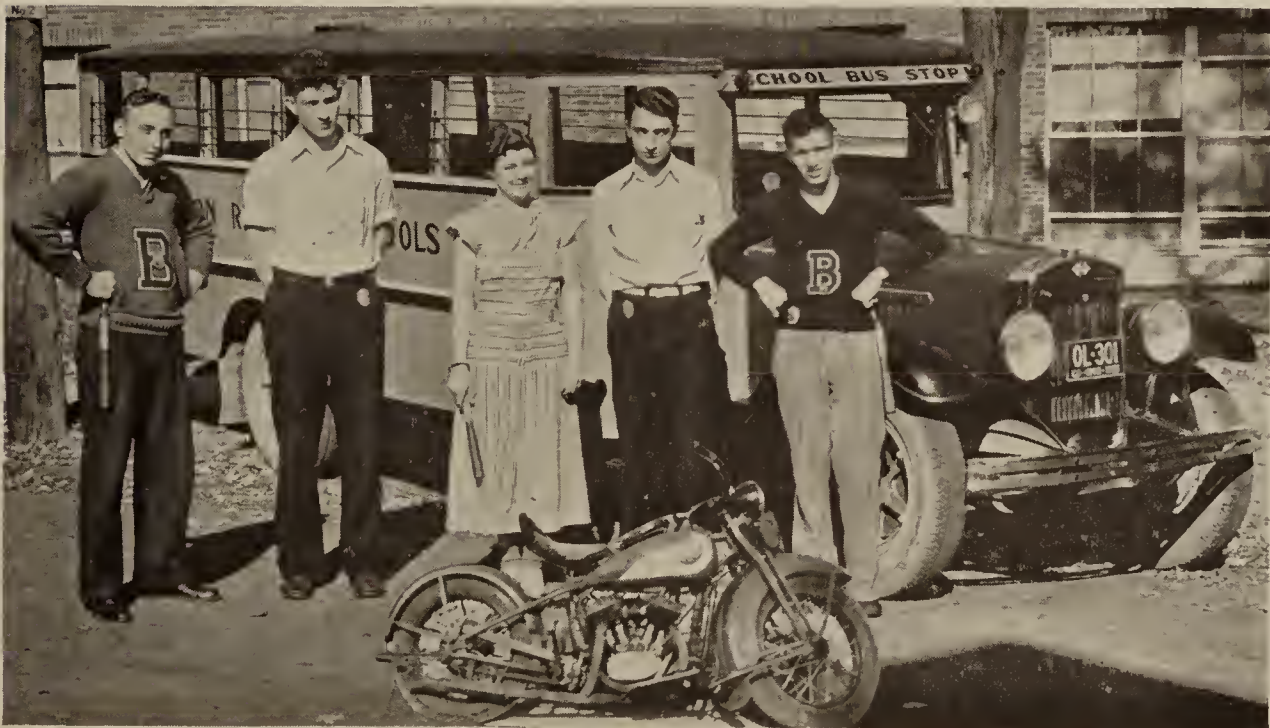
Speaker of House, Karl Schultz, Hi-Y

Second Row: Richard Wenger, Ninth Grade; Robert West, Band and Orchestra; Gerald Tripplehorn, Twelfth Grade; Herbert Kindle, Boys Athletic; Paul Kliwer, Eleventh Grade; Racine Warren, Safety Patrol; Harold Badertscher, F. F. A. First Row: Harriet Blome, Seventh Grade; Ethel J. Marshall, Tenth Grade; Carol Cookson, G. R.; Harriet Balmer, Publication; Wanda Eversole, Speech; Frieda Klay, Music; Cleora Hoffer, F. H. A.; Josephine Augsburg, Eighth Grade.

PURPOSE: *To promote cooperation between faculty and students.*

Student Patrol

PURPOSE: *A student organization for student traffic control and discipline.*



Captain, Warren; Lieutenants: Murray, Basinger, Luginbuhl, King.

Cutlass Staff



ORDEN C. SMUCKER

A. B. BLUFFTON COLLEGE

M. A. UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

Social Sciences

Orden C. Smucker

Bluffton-Richland High School Newspaper

1. Interesting
2. Educational
3. Fortnightly
4. Emblematic
5. Well-organized



Third Row: R. West, B. Smucker, H. Kindle, R. Murray, N. Baumgartner, P. Kl'ewer, G. Trippchorn.

Second Row: F. Klay, W. Worthington, R. Oyer, M. Klay, M. Gratz, W. Eversole, L. Schultz, J. Baumgartner, M. Niswander.

First Row: M. Fett, M. Diller, Associate Editor; C. Cockson, Associate Editor; H. Balmer, Editor; B. Amstutz, Associate Editor; K. Schultz, Assistant Editor; I. Hilty.

Buccaneer Staff

PAUL W. STAUFFER
 A. B. BLUFFTON COLLEGE
 M. A. UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
Speech



James Basinger	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	<i>P.W. Stauffer</i> Advertising Manager
Donivan Gratz	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Assistant Business Manager
Gerald Tripplehorn	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Associate Editor
Rachel Criblez	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Associate Editor
Ruth Steiner	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Editor
Robert West	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Business Manager



Basinger
Criblez

Gratz
Steiner

Tripplehorn
West

TOM SAWYER

Tom Sawyer.....	K. Schultz	Mrs. Harper.....	R. Steiner
Huckleberry Finn.....	R. West	Joe Harper.....	G. Bish
Aunt Polly.....	M. Niswander	Susy Harper.....	B. Matter
Mary.....	H. Balmer	Widow Douglas.....	I. J. Hilty
Sidney.....	G. Tripplehorn	Jim.....	W. King
Becky.....	D. Bixel	Sheriff	H. Amstutz



HUCKLEBERRY FINN

Huckleberry Finn.....	J. Basinger	Amy Woppinger.....	L. Basinger
Tom Sawyer.....	D. Gratz	Ruth Watson.....	C. Cookson
Aunt Polly.....	W. Eversole	Fred Raymond.....	M. Diller
Jenny Lind.....	T. Hankish	Mary Jane.....	G. Devier
Clara Woppinger.....	L. Hiestand	John Finn.....	L. Amstutz

Debate

QUESTION: *Socialization of Medicine.*

N. F. L. members: Eversole, Triplett, Baumgartner, Smucker, Biery.

AFFIRMATIVE

Ina Jean Hilty, Carlton Wilson, Margaret Gratz, Landolene Amstutz, Roberta Biery, Bert Smucker, Ruth Geiser, Ruth Steiner, Gene Bish.



NEGATIVE

Lois Basinger, Ropp Triplett, Howard Amstutz, Dale Good, Wanda Eversole, Neil Baumgartner, Woodrow King, Mary Crawford.

Schedule: Lima South, Lima Central, Ada, Clyde, Wadsworth, Republic, Findlay, Thompson, Fostoria.

Percentage, 500.

Girls Glee Club

PRESIDENT

Frieda Klay

SEC'Y.-TREAS.

Jemima Lugibihl

LIBRARIANS

Josephine Klay
Harriet Balmer

PIANIST

Josephine Klay



RUTH BIXEL

A. B. BLUFFTON COLLEGE

Vocal Music

Ruth Bixel

Boys Glee Club

PRESIDENT

Marvin Hilty

SECRETARY

Neil Baumgartner

LIBRARIAN

James Basinger

PIANIST

Ethelyn Oyer

Third Row: R. Oyer, M. Jones, M. Deppler, L. Luginbuhl, J. Burkholder, E. Niswander, H. Stettler, E. Marshall, S. Hartman, J. Lugibihl, D. Bixel, C. Koontz, E. Oyer.
Second Row: M. Neuenschwander, M. Marshall, H. Balmer, C. Cookson, B. Gratz, L. Steiner, R. Steiner, M. Niswander, V. Bell, B. Amstutz, M. McGinnis, E. Balmer, G. Devier, M. Steiner.
First Row: M. Ewing, M. Holden, M. Gratz, M. Lauby, F. Klay, E. Lora, W. Worthington, R. Geiser, M. Berky.



Third Row: R. Wenger, E. Lugibihl, D. Gratz, C. Schumacher, K. Schultz, J. Basinger, D. Luginbuhl, A. Neuenschwander, G. Swank, R. West.
Second Row: B. Holtkamp, P. Kliewer, D. Luginbuhl, D. Moore, D. Reichenbach, R. Murray, G. Steiner, R. Schumacher, N. Baumgartner, A. Neuenschwander.
First Row: P. Wingate, R. Mumma, R. Warren, W. Herr, M. Hilty, H. Luginbuhl, D. Luginbuhl, H. Oyer.



Girl Reserves

HELEN BOSS

M. A. OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

A. B. DENISON

Languages

Helen M. Boss

President.....Carol Cookson

Tri-Y



THERESA SLUSSER

A. B. BLUFFTON COLLEGE

History

Theresa Slusser

President.....Laura Schultz

Fifth Row: M. Crawford, L. Luginbuhl, M. Steiner, B. Derringer, R. Biery, D. Amstutz, W. Bronson, R. Criblez, B. Matter, R. Beagle, T. Hankish, M. Berky, M. Zuercher, P. Keifer, E. Badertscher, T. Basinger.

Fourth Row: A. Pifer, G. Ewing, M. Weinhold, V. Patterson, M. Geiger, M. Irwin, M. Corson, J. Pence, J. Niswander, M. Marshall.

Third Row: G. Wilkins, M. Neuenschwander, J. Burkholder, S. Hartman, P. Wilkins, E. Niswander, M. Burkholder, M. Koontz.

Second Row: R. Barnes, E. Balmer, M. Niswander, M. Klay, W. Eversole, H. Balmer, C. Cookson, B. Amstutz, W. Worthington, M. Ewing, R. Steiner, R. Geiser, M. Amstutz.

First Row: L. Heistand, N. Welty, F. Cooney, R. Schaeublin, R. Miller, I. Hilty, M. Jones, W. Welty, E. Marshall, M. Gratz.



Fourth Row: C. Santschi, M. Zuercher, B. Bracy, L. Dunifon, B. Gratz, J. Stonehill, B. Murray, H. Blome, A. Kohler.

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 First Row: J. Martin, E. Hiestand, J. Clark, R. Triplett, C. Schumacher, M. Triplett, W. Mumma, T. Stettler, J. Lloyd.



Third Row: D. Luginbuhl, R. Mumma, J. Kimmel, Jr. Holden, G. Todd, H. Klassen.
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Football For 1935

Schedule

Elida	-	-	Here
Findlay	-		There
Fostoria	-	-	There
Ada	-	-	There
Columbus Grove	-		Here
Van Wert	-		Here
Shawnee	-	-	Here
St. Marys	-		Here
Pandora	-	-	There

The Squad



Third Row: T. Stonehill, R. Dillman, H. Diller, R. Greding, B. Smucker, H. Oyer, L. Badertscher, R. Spangler, D. Scoles, C. Hankish, C. Schumacher, R. Mumma, R. Wenger, Coach Griffith.
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First Row: D. Lora, H. Steiner, P. Kliever, W. King, K. Schaublin, E. Basinger, W. Steiner, N. Baumgartner, G. Swank, N. Holden, M. Hilty.

1. Very heavy team.
2. Lacked experience.
3. Thirteen lettermen back next year.
4. Tough schedule.
5. Only two lettermen to start last season.
6. Started well.
7. Unlucky ending.
8. Exhibited good sportsmanship.
9. Good teamwork and cooperation.
10. Hopes for a *bigger and better team in '36.*

Varsity



The Pirate Ship

LEFT
END
Bish
Soash

LEFT
TACKLE
Luginbuhl

LEFT
GUARD
Leichty

CENTER
Gratz
Schaeublin

RIGHT
GUARD
Warren

RIGHT
TACKLE
Long
Henry

RIGHT
END
Steiner
Reichenbach
Smucker

QUARTER-
BACK
West

LEFT
HALF
BACK
Sommer
Swank

FULL
BACK
Murray

RIGHT
HALF
BACK
Dillman
Basinger
King

Basketball For 1936

Schedule

Lima Business College	-	Here
Lima South	- -	There
St. Marys	- - -	There
Pandora	- - -	Here
Elida	- - - -	Here
Ada	- - - -	Here
Wapakoneta	- -	There
St. Marys	- - -	Here
Columbus Grove	-	There
Van Wert	- - -	Here

Celina	- - -	Here
Ada	- - - -	There
Van Wert	- - -	There
Lima Central	- -	There
Wapakoneta	- -	Here

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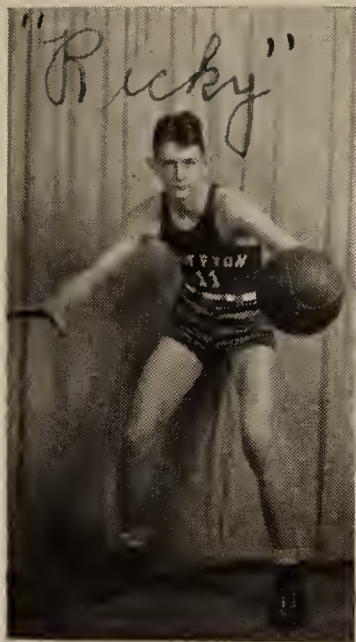
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First Row: D. Ruggley, M. Fisher, D. Reichenbach, R. West, R. Warren, R. Murray, H. Kindle, J. Birchnaugh, P. Kliever.

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|------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1. Height. | 6. Good sports. |
| 2. Nice team work. | 7. Four men good scorers. |
| 3. Played clean ball. | 8. Best record since '31. |
| 4. Used their heads. | 9. Two men made all sectional honors. |
| 5. Always played hard. | 10. Excellent coaching. |

Varsity



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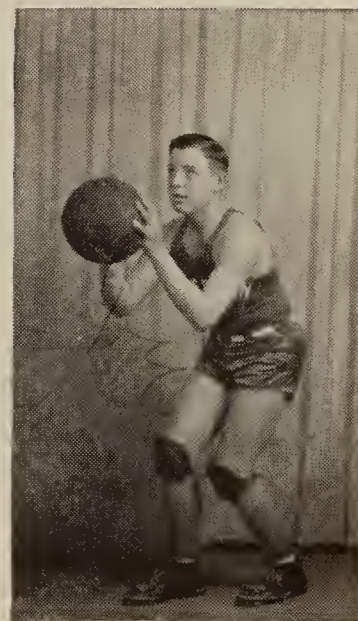
KINDLE
Forward

Racine

WARREN
HONORARY CAPTAIN
Guard



WEST
Forward



BIRCHNAUGH
Forward



FISHER
Forward



MURRAY
Guard

Baseball For 1936

Schedule

Spencerville	-	At	Lima
Gomer	-	-	Here
LaFayette	-	-	There
Elida	-	-	There
Harrod	-	-	There
Beaverdam	-	-	There
Shawnee	-	-	There
Kenton	-	-	Here
Kenton	-	-	There
Smithville	-	-	There
Smithville	-	-	Here



Second Row: Wingate, Krischbaum, Lugibihl, Burkholder, Dillman, Swank, Holmes, Vermillion.
 First Row: Schaublin, Warren, Basinger, Murray, Soash, Ruggley, Leichty, Stonehill, Birchnaugh.

1. Little practice
2. Too much rain.
3. Little experience.
4. Too many errors.
5. Fine pitching.
6. Poor hitting.

Tennis For 1936

Team

D. Reichenbach	R. Murray
J. Stonehill	N. Hauenstein
K. Schultz	R. Triplett
M. Diller	M. Triplett
R. West	J. Clark

Schedule

Bowling Green
Defiance
Findlay
Lima Central
Tiffin Business University

Track For 1936

Schedule

Leipsic - - Here
 Sycamore - - Here
 N. W. District - Toledo
 Invitational Meet - Findlay
 State Meet - Columbus



Second Row: Holden, Schumacher, Sprangler, Wingate, Reichenbach, Long, Gratz, N. Holden, Basinger.
 First Row: King, Baumgartner, Kindle, Soash, Kliwer, Steiner, Smucker.

Track Records

100 yard dash.....	Howard Hahn, 1925.....	10.0
220 yard run.....	Howard Triplehorn, 1931.....	23.0
440 yard run.....	Roy Herr, 1925.....	56.0
880 yard run.....	John Sylvester, 1925.....	2:26
1 mile run.....	Charles Schumacher, 1936.....	5:10
1 mile relay.....	1925.....	3:58
Broad jump.....	Howard Triplehorn, 1931.....	21' 10"
High jump.....	Harry Rudy, 1925.....	5' 11"
Pole vault.....	Morris Herr, 1928.....	9' 6"
Shot put.....	Wilford Geiger, 1927.....	39' 8"
Discus	Truman Niswander, 1927.....	98'
Javelin	Kenneth Gallant, 1927.....	152'
Sprint relay		
High hurdles		
Low hurdles.....	Neil Baumgartner, 1936.....	26.5
Medley relay		



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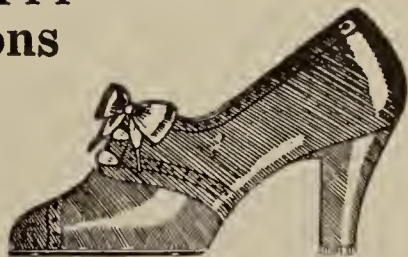
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Ethel J.: “Fine! Now take us through the curriculum. They say you have a fine one here.”

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John L.: “Say, Dad, that apple I just ate had a worm in it, and I ate that, too.”

Dad: “What! Here, drink this water and wash it down.”

But John shook his head. “Aw, let ‘im walk down.”

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Morris T.: “Why are you painting one side of your truck green and the other red?”

Charles S.: “It’s a fine idea. You should hear the witnesses contradicting one another.”

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Second Mosquito: Whoopee, I just passed the screen test.

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Smucker: "Oh, not so badly. We furnished one of the bedrooms by collecting soap coupons."

Sid: "Didn't you furnish the other seven rooms?"

Smucker: "We can't. They're full of soap."

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Visitor: "And how old is the baby, dear?"

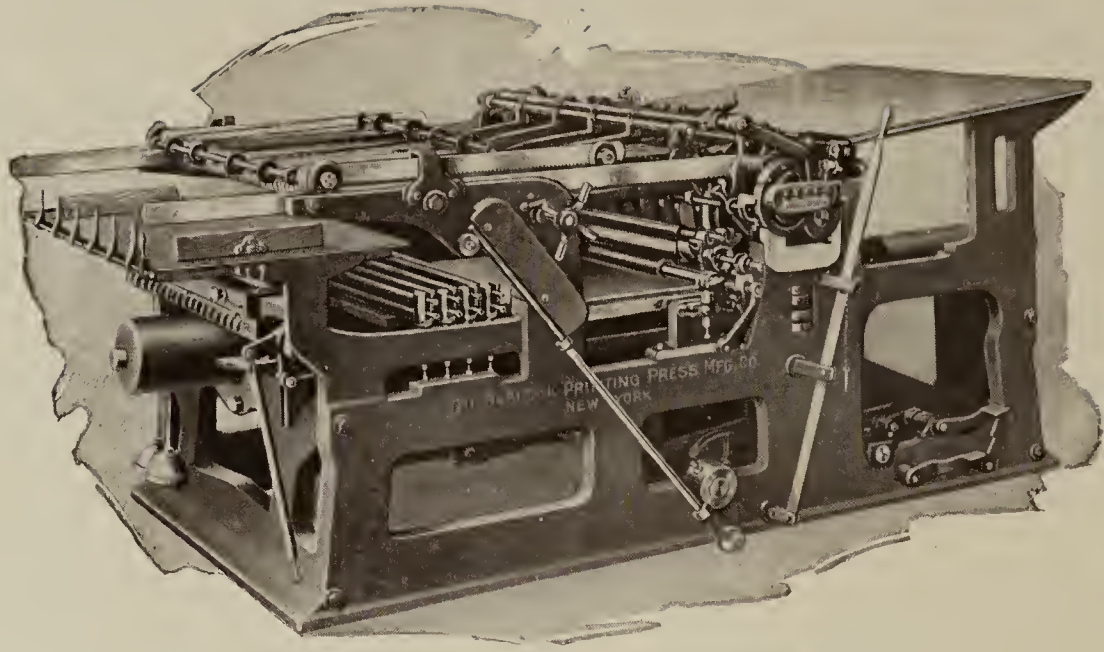
Small Sister: "He isn't old at all. He's this year's model."

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The other day we heard one of our janitors complaining. He said to Mr. Buhler:
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"I know, pounted the janitor, "but I haven't got anything to lean on—like the other janitors!"



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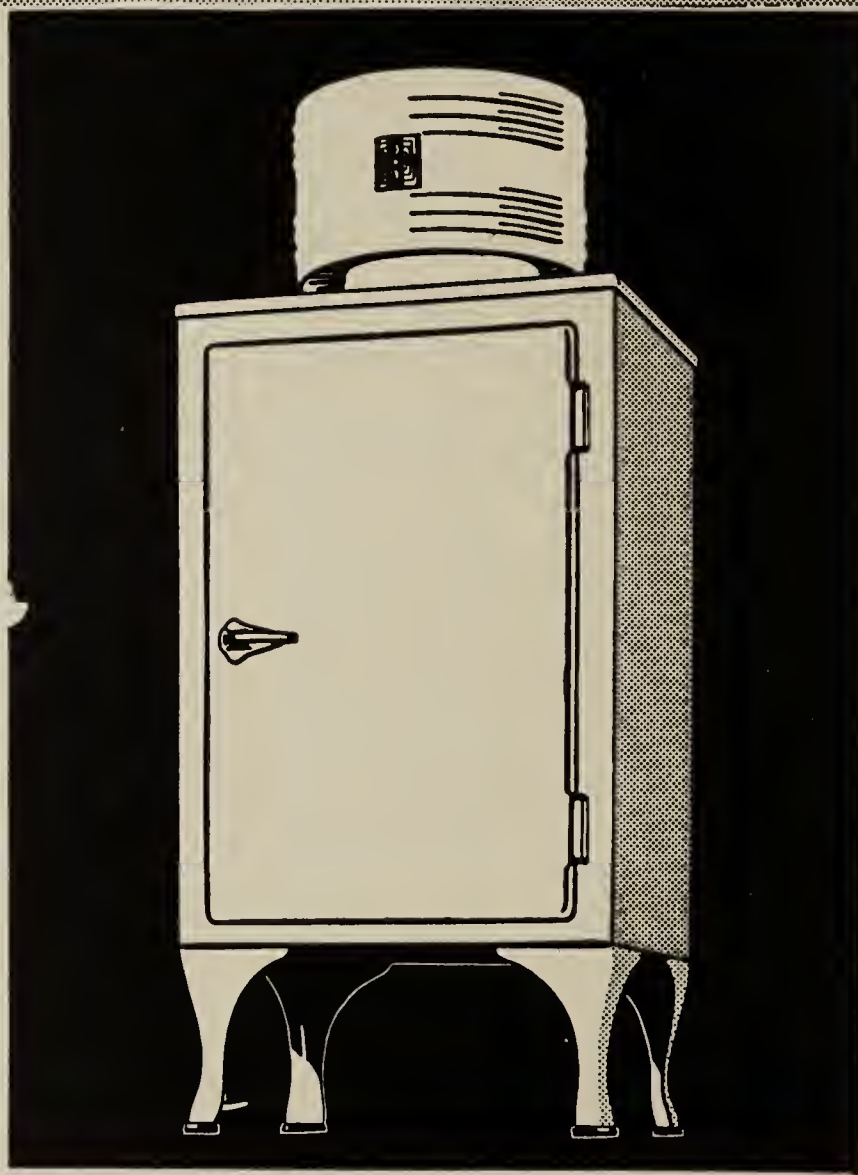
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Farmer (to negro who could only count to five): "Pappy, go out into the pasture and county the pigs."

Pappy (ten minutes later): "Massa George, ah done count five—but dere was fo' more runnin' 'round so fas' ah couldn't count dem."

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Betty S.: "They say that Mr. Buhler's wife has a mind of her own."

Mr. Longsdorf: "Well then she couldn't have very much of it left because she has been giving Mr. Buhler a piece of it every day for the last ten years."

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Harley L.: "You sold me a car two weeks ago."

Salesman: "Yes sir."

Harley L.: "Tell me again all you said about it then. I'm getting discouraged."

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An old Southern planter was discussing the hereafter with one of the colored servants. "Sam", he said, "if you die first, I want you to come back and tell me what it's like over there. "If I die first, I'll come back and tell you what it's like."

"Dat suits me, massa," replied the old Negro, "but if you dies first, ah wants you to promise you'll come back in de daytime."

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Mary A. Howe, returning from school one afternoon, said: "Gerry Todd's examination papers were so good that teacher keeps them on her desk to show visitors."

Asked about her own, she had to confess that they weren't good.

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"I know, mother," said Mary, "but Gerry comes from a very bright family."

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"Where's your dog?", he commanded.

"Dog?", ejaculated the umpire. "I have no dog."

"Well," said the grouchy one, "you're the first blind man I ever saw who didn't have one."

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Old Lady: "I wouldn't cry like that, my little man."

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Butcher: "What can I do for you today?"

Mrs. Smucker To Be: "Two pork chops and a quart of gravy, please."

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Neil B.: "I just killed five flies—three girl-flies and two boy-flies."

Libby B.: "How do you know that?"

Neil B.: "Three were on the mirror, and two were on the table."

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Miss Slusser: "What is the equator?"

Harold S.: "Well, you said the other day that the equator is a menagerie lion running around the earth."

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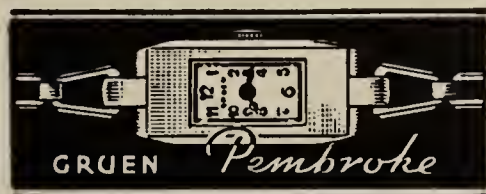
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Tramp: "I had your fault. I was too extravagant."

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West: "No, madam, we haven't had any for a long time."

Manager (overhearing): "Oh yes, we have it, madam! I will just send over to the warehouse and have some brought in for you." (Aside to assistant): "Never refuse anything! Send out for it!"

West: "But what she said was, 'We haven't had any rain lately, have we?'"

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Marie W.: "Did you hear about the explosion?"

Eddyth B.: "No!"

Marie W.: "The wind blew up the street."

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Betty A.: "Daddy, may I have a dime, if I can be good all day?"

Mr. Amstutz: "When I was your age I was good for nothing."

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Mr. eGiger: "What is the function of the stomach?"

Bertha B.: "To hold up the petticoat."

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Joe Kimmel: "I wonder why a dog hangs his tongue out so far?"

Delbert Gratz: "To balance his tail, you simp."

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Neighbor: "They tell me your son is on the high school football team."

Murray's proud mother: "That's right."

Neighbor: "What position does he play?"

Murray's mother: "I am not sure but I think it is one of the drawbacks."

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Clerk: "Yes," came the curt reply.

Russell: "Are you the woman?"

Clerk: "Yes".

Russell: Sighing—"I guess I'll stick to Dorothy," he said soberly.

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Gerhard Jr., aged three, had an aversion for soap and water. One day his mother was trying to reason with him. "Surely you want to be a clean little boy like your big papa don't you?"

Gerhard Jr. replied: "Yes, but can't you just dust me."

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Wava W: "I wonder, was George Washington as honest as they say he was?"

Sid S.: "I tell you George Washington was the honestes' man that ever was born."

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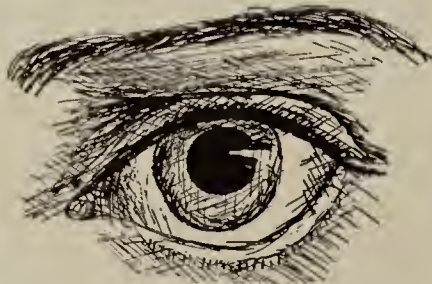
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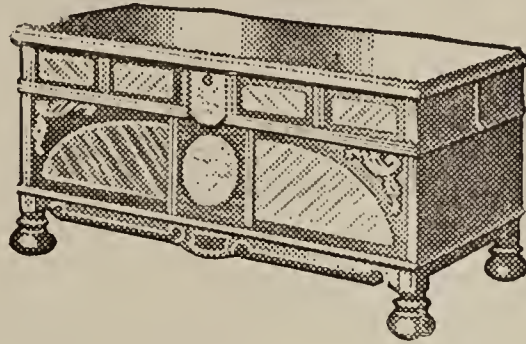
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